

Y'S MEN INTERNATIONAL ISG REPORT 2019



OUR JOURNEY TOGETHER



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Journey o like a flowing River



Hearing Untold Stories





Experiencing our Strength

The Spirit of Y's Men



TOGETHER FOR CHANGE





WHAT MATTERS NOW ?

HOW DOES IT MAKE
YOU FEEL?



WHERE WE START?



제73차 국제와이즈멘 여수세계대회

73rd Y's Men International Convention Yeosu Korea



- 3 000 delegates
- Historic monument
- Nationwide image
- International Project
- YMCA engagement



Building Competencies



RDE Trainings

- Europe
- USA Area
- Asia Pacific
- Korea
- India





OPERATIONAL PLAN FOR TOWARDS 2022

www.ysmen.org



Challenge22

Challenge 22 is an opportunity for every YMI club member to make the world a better place, to work collectively for the common good and future of our international Movement. It challenges us to expand our reach, our engagement and our service - both local and global. And every club member, leader and organisation is expected to take up the challenge.

100  since 1922 

The operational plan for meeting our Towards 2022 goals lie in these challenges:

- 100 Countries
- 3000 Clubs
- 50,000 Members
- YMCA Engagement
- Perception Change
- Brand Clarity
- Legacy and Collective Impact

For further details: www.ysmen.org

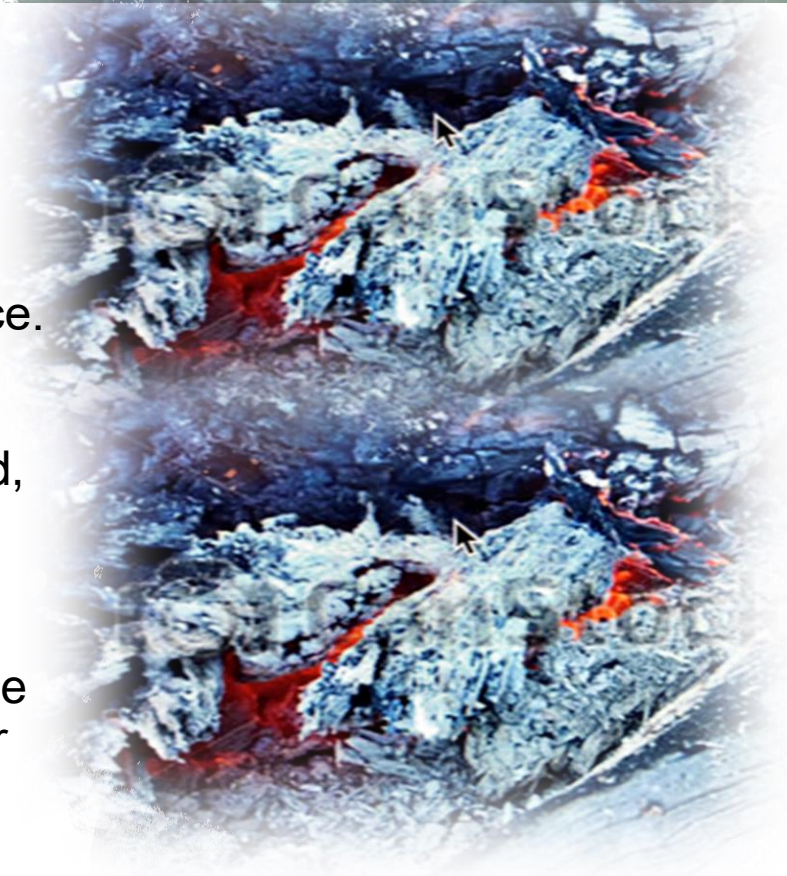
Igniting the spirit of the Y's Men

Waking the Fire under Ashes

Y's Men International carries a great legacy of service. In partnership with YMCA, we have been supporting communities in need for nearly a century. However, despite the good work we are doing across the world, we are facing challenges, like **lack of scale, global visibility and unified action.**

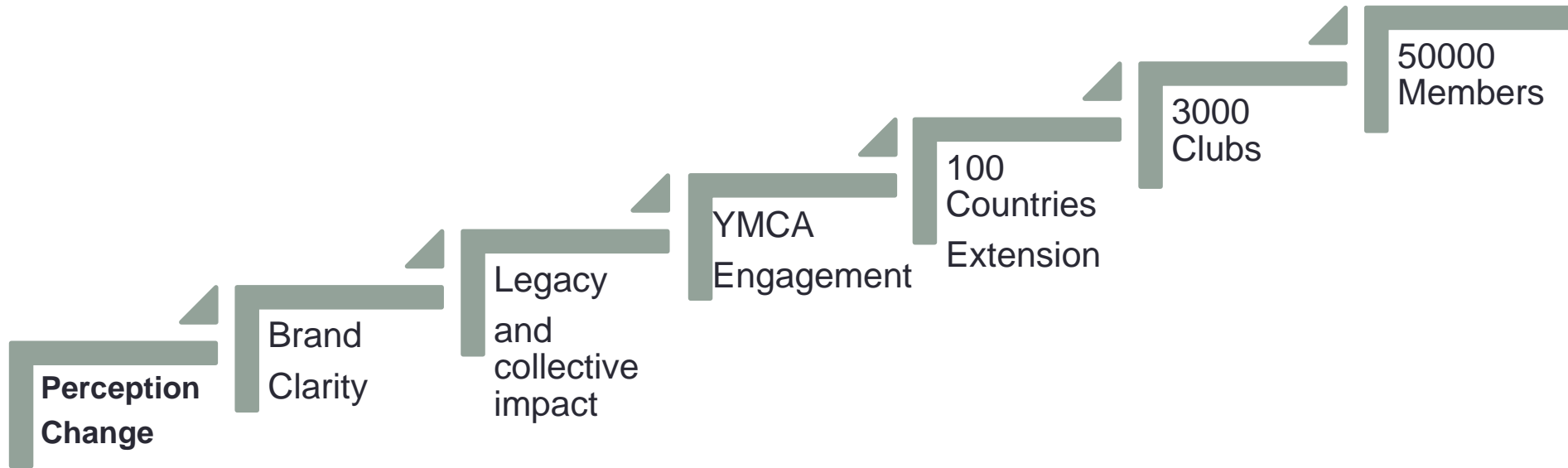
There is fire under the ashes, which is the spirit of the Y's Men. And this fire has the power to transform our movement once reignited.

Challenge 22 is an opportunity for every YMI member, stimulating all of us to work collectively for the common good and future of our international movement.





CHALLENGE 22 : PROGRESS /ACTIONS



IMPACT COMMUNICATION

- Changing Perceptions



Time of Fast Fund

IP Moon Sang-bong, ISD Lee Nam-ho, TOF Committee Chair Kim Sung-pyo and ISG Jose Varghese request every member to participate in the TOF fundraising campaign.

TOF CHALLENGE - Skip one meal this month and donate its estimated cost to TOF; challenge five friends to do the same.

[Donate Now!](#)



Emphasis Points

- Time of Fast is an international grant programme for YMI, YMCA and recognised YMCA affiliates, encouraging the development of positive partner relationships and enhancing our social impact.
- Our selected Time of Fast projects improve lives immediately, but also have long-lasting impact, being aligned with at least one of the UN's Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs).
- Historically Time of Fast, as the name implies, involves fasting, with members agreeing to skip a meal, typically in February, and to donate its estimated cost to the programme.

LET'S MAKE IT OUR BEST YEAR EVER!

IP 2018/19 target: CHF 149,630. Let's beat that!

Average total, annual BF contribution during the past five years: CHF 161,933. Let's beat that!

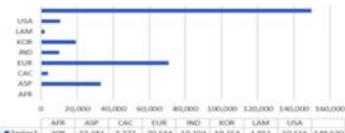
Highest contribution in the last five years: CHF 198,019. Let's beat that!

Can we raise CHF 200,000 this year? Yes, we can!

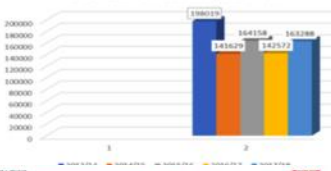
Consider inspiring contributions to meet this goal through the development of a TOF Donation Calendar

[TOF Grant Application](#)
[TOF Policy](#)
[Our TOF website page](#)

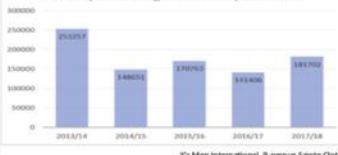
2018/19 TOF Goals in CHF



TOF Donations the last five years in CHF



TOF Project Funding the last five years in CHF



Monthly Emphasis

YMI World – 4 issues

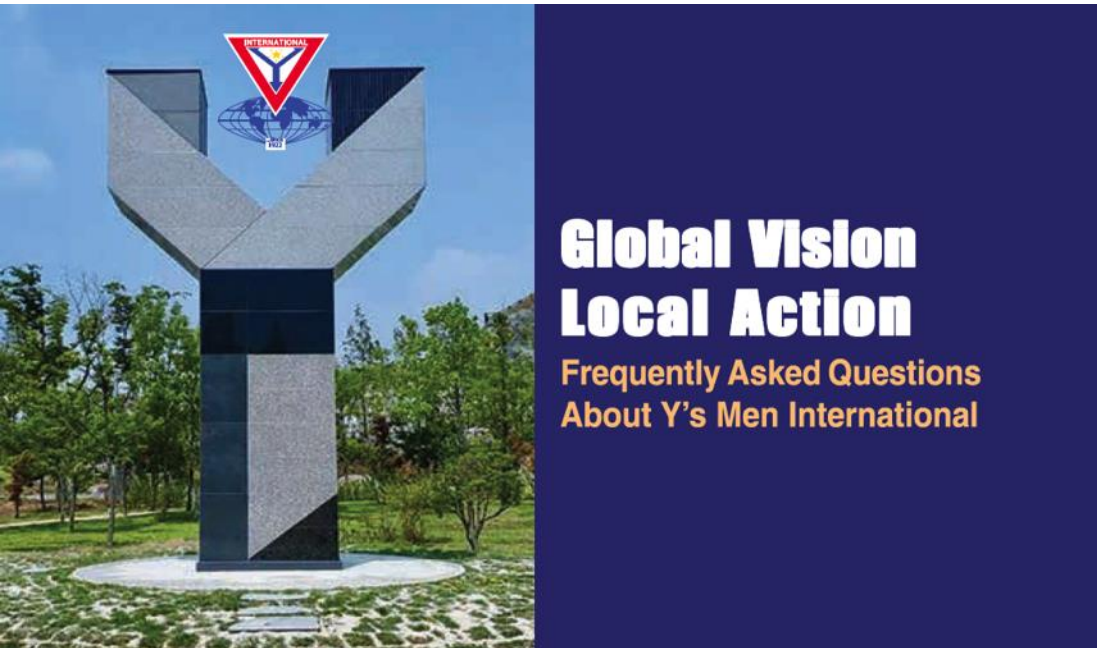
Youth World – 3 issues

Communication goes directly to all YMI members and clubs, as well as YMCAs

Consistency in language and design

Social Media Promotion

BRAND CLARITY : UNIFIED IDENTITY FOR GLOBAL VISIBILITY



New Website
Branding Task Force
Unified name Proposal
FAQ
Brand Guidelines (in
process)

Legacy and Collective Impact



IP Visit to Toledo
ISG and Legacy chair visit
Legacy Project Framework
Fundraising Campaign



ENGAGEMENT WITH YMCA



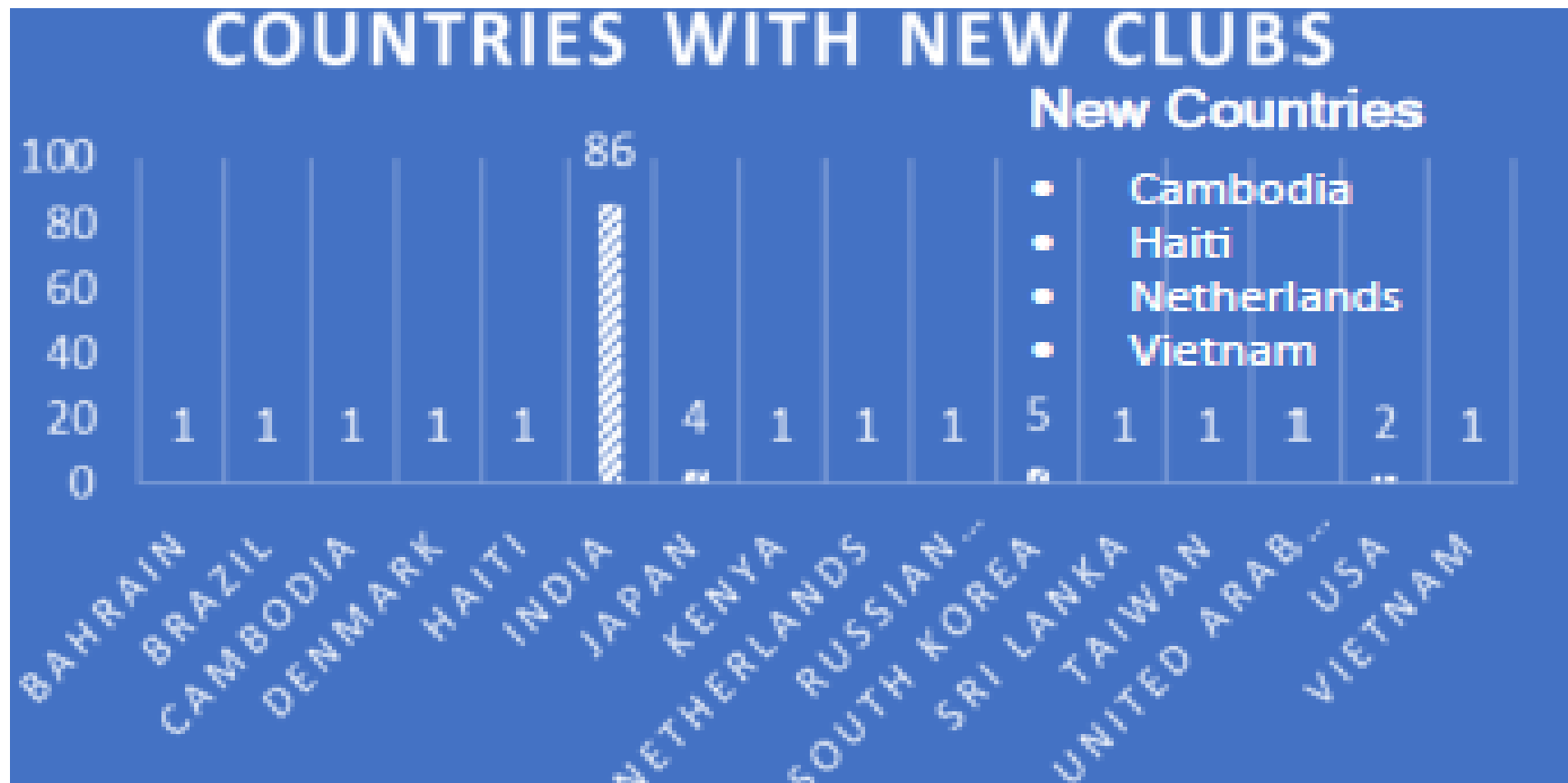
WAY SG PARTICIPATION ON 1 OCTOBER
ISG/YL – WORLD YMCA STRATEGY SUMMIT AND EXCOM
NEW WL – AGUSTIN FROM MEXICO
JOINT PROJECTS IN PROCESS – RBM
SUPPORT FOR CLUB EXPANSION /OTHER
DIALOGUE WITH CANADA/USA /LACA/EUROPE/APAY
NEW PRINCIPLES OF PARTNERSHIP (POP) SIGNED AT AFRICA / NORWAY
YMCA WORLD COUNCIL PARTICIPATION / WORLD YMCA PARTICIPATION AT IC 18

4 NEW COUNTRIES

Cambodia, Haiti , Netherlands , Vietnam



109 NEW CLUBS IN 8 AREAS



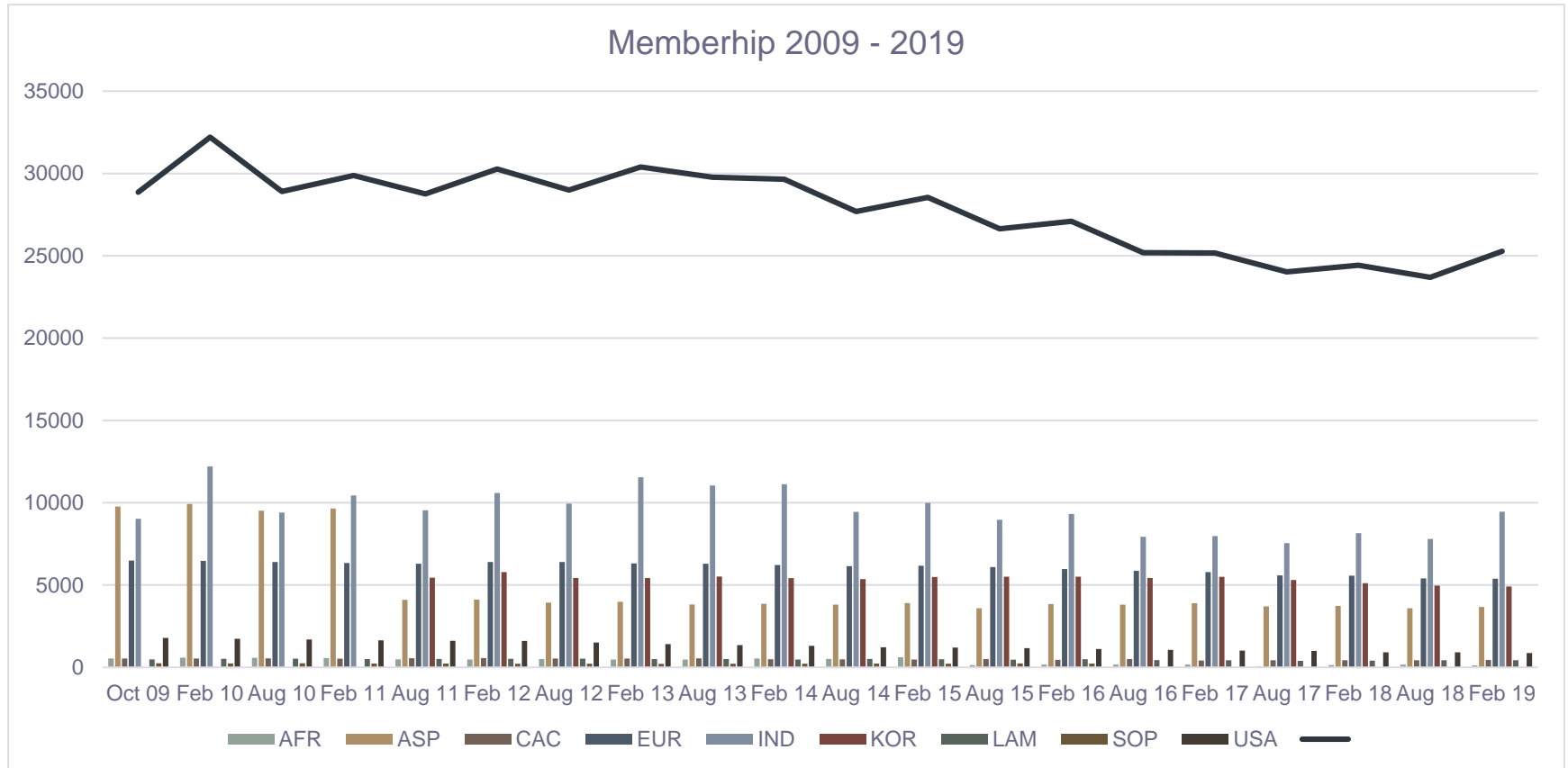
MEMBERSHIP INCREASE (1580) (1 Aug/ 1 Feb) 25213 (+ 6.7 %)



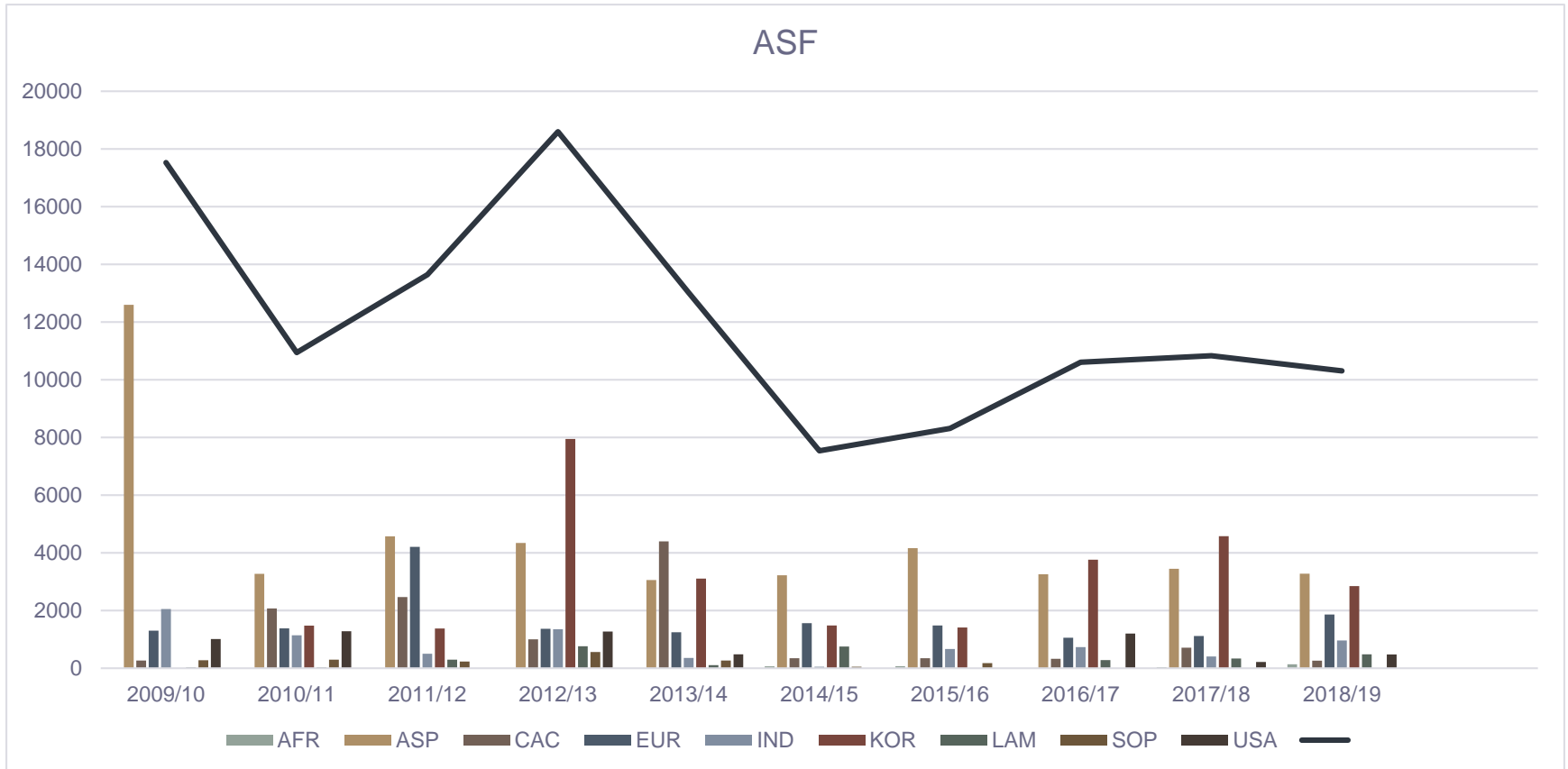
| Area | Clubs | Reported | Paid |
|-------|-----------|-------------|-------------|
| AFR | 37/37 | 169/118 | 147/85 |
| ASP | 220/ 224 | 3587/3682 | 3562/3660 |
| CAC | 25/26 | 429/445 | 429/445 |
| EUR | 262/254 | 5402/5382 | 5402/5381 |
| IND | 523/587 | 7795/9459 | 7785/9457 |
| KOR | 221/224 | 4962/4910 | 4962/4910 |
| LAM | 37/37 | 438/431 | 432/408 |
| USA | 67/66 | 914/867 | 914/867 |
| Total | 1392/1455 | 23696/25294 | 23633/25213 |

(99.73% PAID AGAINST REPORTING]

MEMBERSHIP STATUS: 10 YEARS



ASF CONTRIBUTIONS: CHF10 307



ASF SUPPORT



A global youth event

YMCA 175

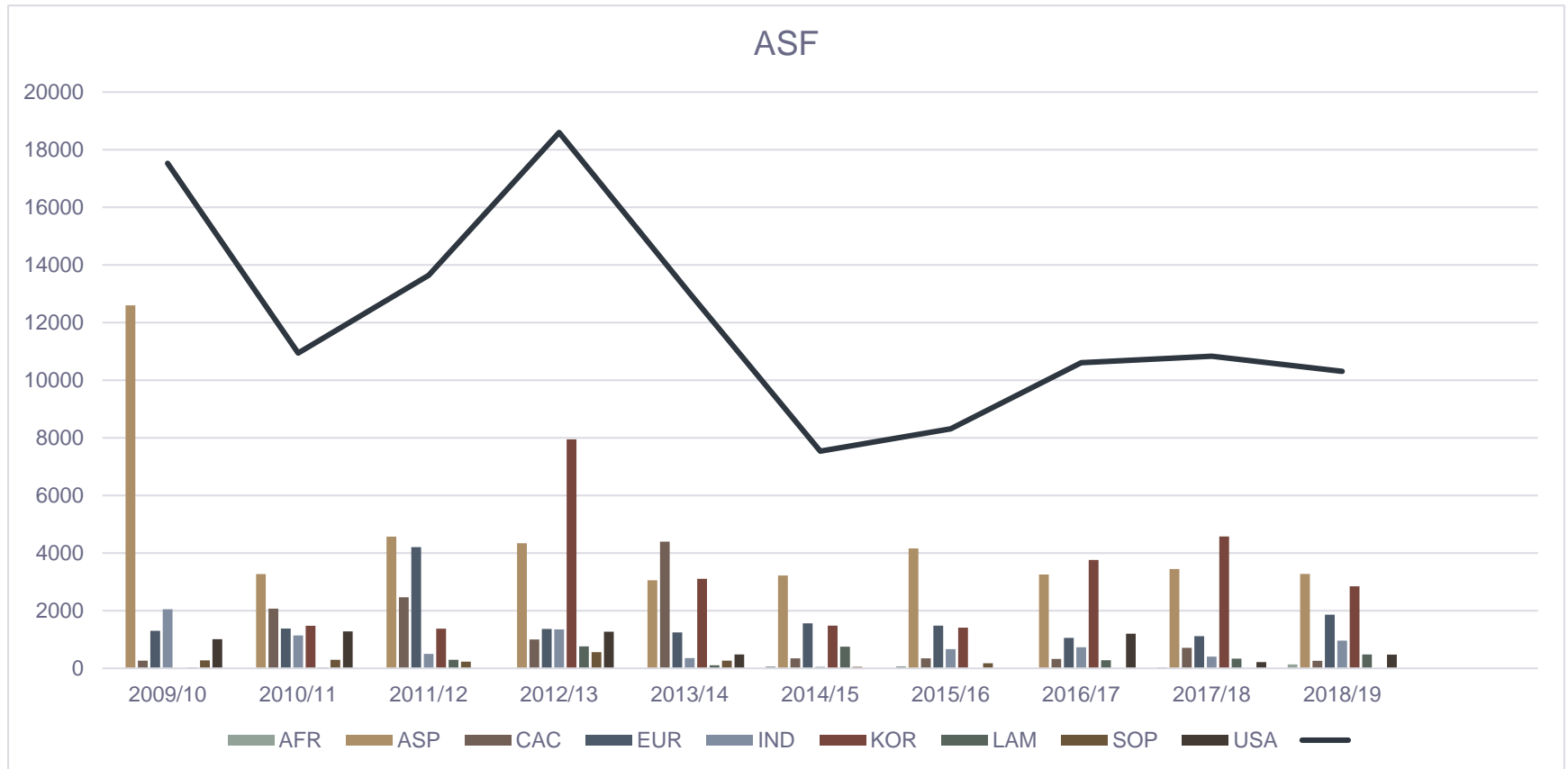
4 - 8 AUG '19 • EXCEL LONDON

Organized by  Hosted by  Partnered by 

The poster features a red background with a large white YMCA logo in the center. Surrounding the logo are several circular inset images: a woman and a man in blue shirts, a man speaking into a microphone, a group of people in a park, a woman in a hijab speaking, and a group of people in a meeting. The text 'A global youth event' is positioned above the main title, and '4 - 8 AUG '19 • EXCEL LONDON' is below it. At the bottom, it lists the organizing, hosting, and partnering organizations with their respective logos.

Support to YMCA175+ YMCA Haiti GS to attend Training

BF PROGRAMME: CHF 80 786



BF DELEGATES 2018-19



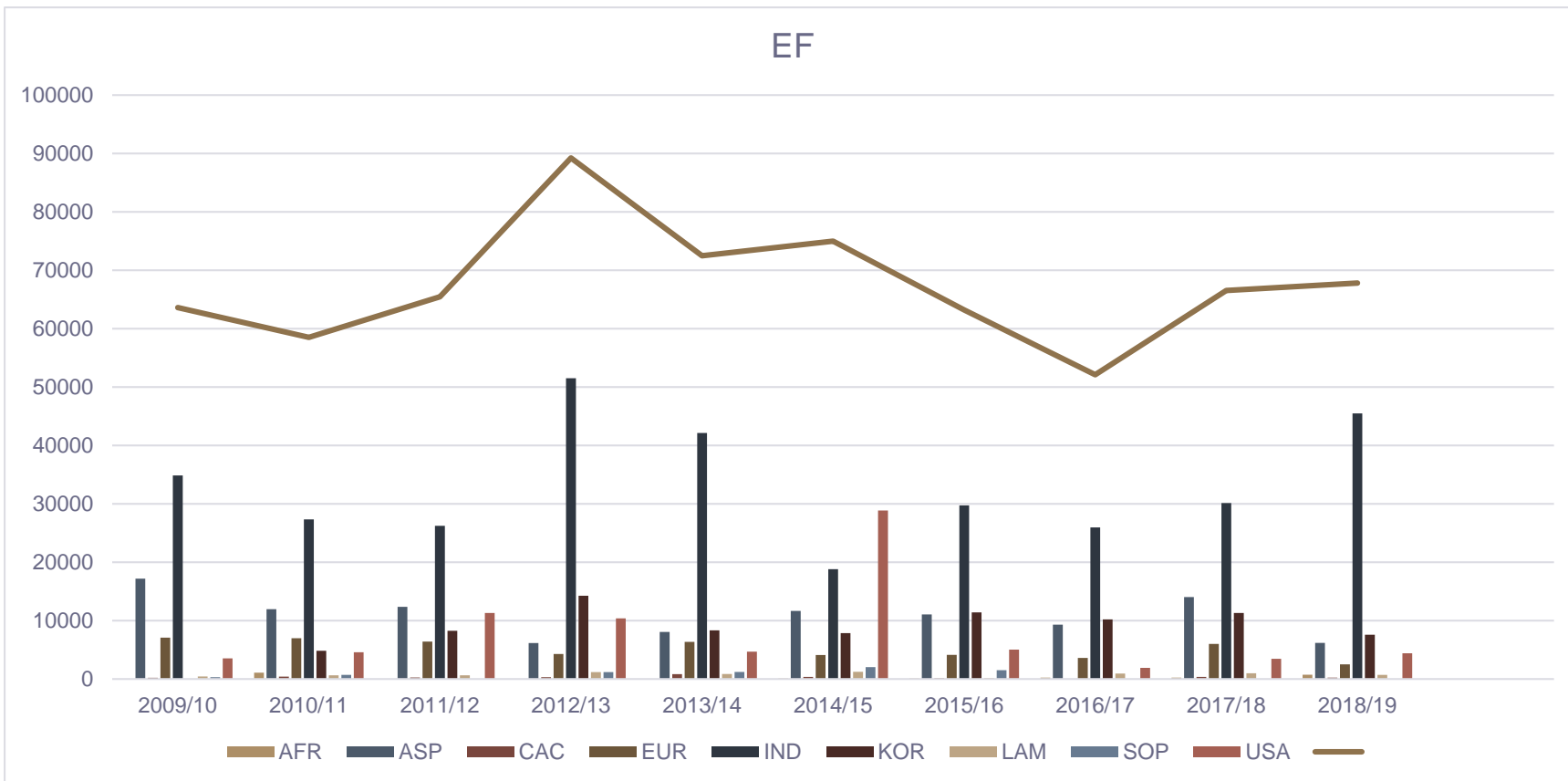
BF Convention Grants (IC 2018)

- Keiichi Fudano from Japan East
- Wei-Chuan Chen from Taiwan
- Sean Strachan from Central Western Canada
- Piia Karro-Selg from Finland/Balticum
- Philip Mathew from South India

BF Cultural Exchange Grants

- Silas Njoroge from AFR Southeast to India
- Yasuharu Hinachi from Japan East to Africa
- Suranganie Francis from Sri Lanka to Korea
- Cecil Aucoin from CAC Maritimes to Europe
- Heikki Metsälampi from Finland/Balticum to Canada
- Vazhuthanath Balcandran from South West India to Latin America
- Dagoberto Garrido Conyteras from Latin America to Korea

ENDOWEMENT FUND: CHF 67 724



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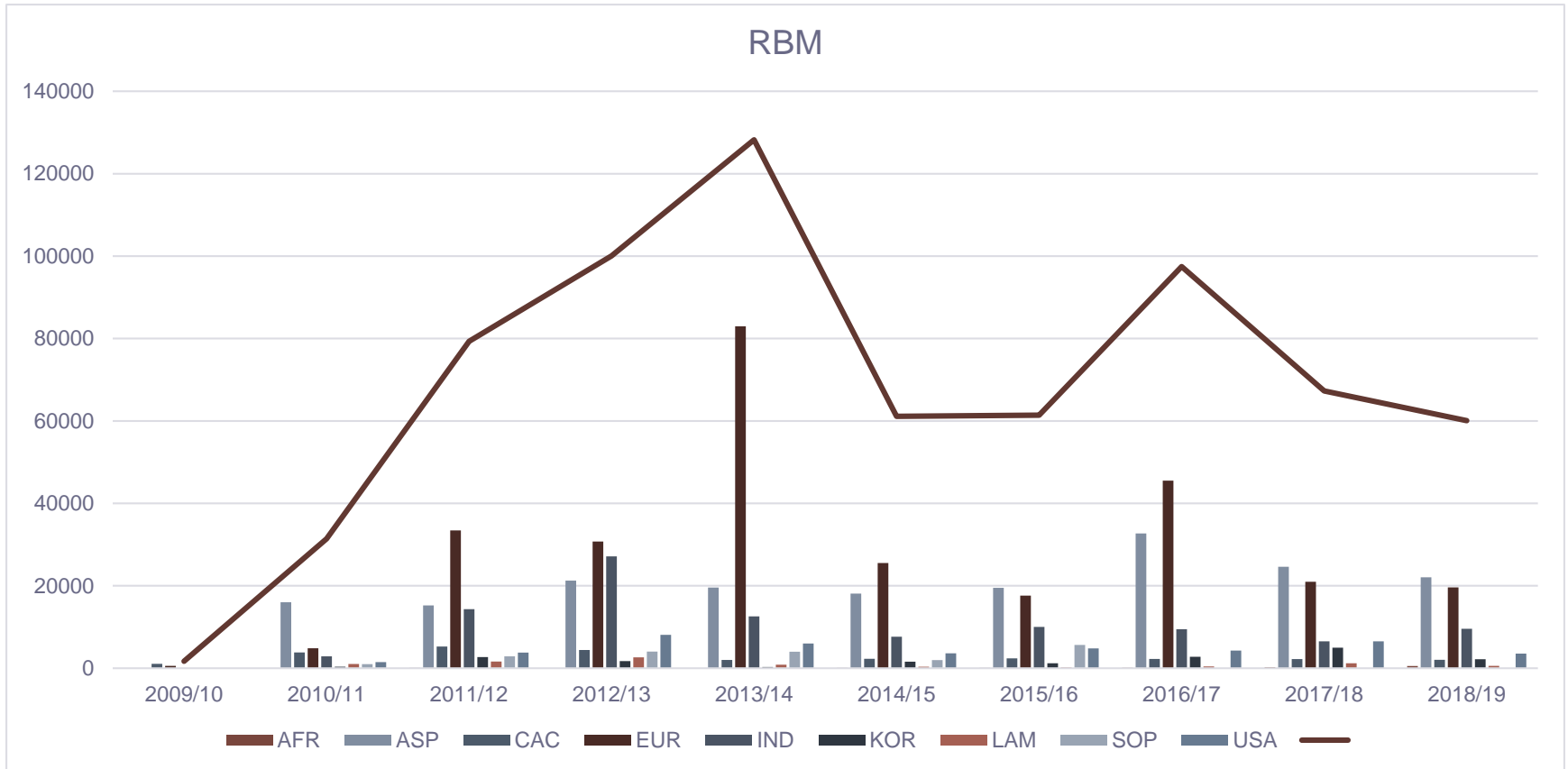


IHQ Rent: CHF 40 000

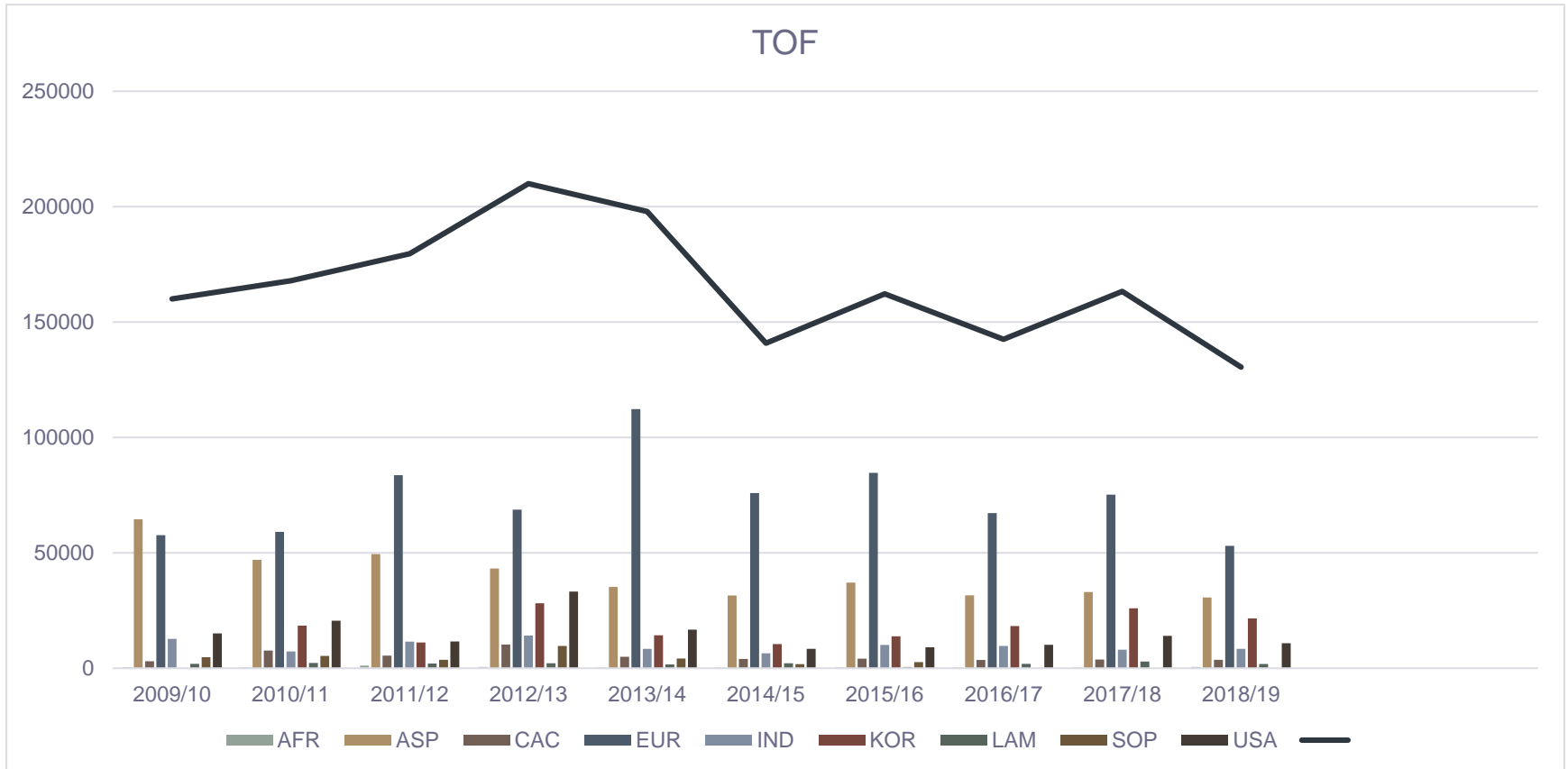
IHQ Administration: CHF 10 000

SDS: CHF 72 000 (66 856)

ROLL BACK MALARIA: CHF 59 954



TIME OF FAST: CHF 129 613



TOF PROJECTS APPROVED 2018

- 18-01 Chile – CHF 13 715
- 18-02 Thailand – CHF 15 610
- 18-03 India – CHF 17 205
- 18-04 India – CHF 18 509
- 18-05 India – CHF 20 664
- 18-06 United States – CHF 12 007
- 18-07 Zimbabwe – CHF 28 352
- 18-08 Canada – CHF 20 380

STEP AND YEEP



- **ST01-18/19 – Pahani Fernando** from Sri Lanka to Japan East and Japan West
- **ST02-18/19 – Yvonne Hong** from Taiwan to Canada
- **ST03-18/19 – Ishida Tomoki** from Japan West to Denmark

- No YEPP applications

RESPONSE TO DISASTERS



Kerala



Hokkaido

ONLINE VOTING – IPE/ICME



International Election 2018/19

Dear Club President [REDACTED]

It is time for the 2018/19 International Elections, one of the most participative processes in our Movement. It is the right and duty of all eligible clubs to take part in the election process.

Voting will be conducted entirely online. Information about this year's election and all supporting materials can be found on the website:

www.ysmen.org/elections

The deadline for voting is 9.00 AM Geneva Time (09.00 CET) on **Thursday 7 February 2019**. When you are ready to vote, click the button below.

With compliments,

Jose Varghese
International Secretary General
Y's Men International

Begin voting

- First time online Voting
- Voting invitation directly to the club Presidents
- Cost saving
- GDPR Compliance

OTHER MEETINGS/ EVENTS



TOWARDS 2022 – TASK GROUP MEETING –
TORRANCE

SERVICE CLUB LEADERS CONFERENCE - RENO
WORLD YMCA STRATEGY MEETING AND EXCOM -
GENEVA

IC 2020 HOST COMMITTEE - ODENSE

19th WORLD COUNCIL OF YMCAs – CHINAGMAI

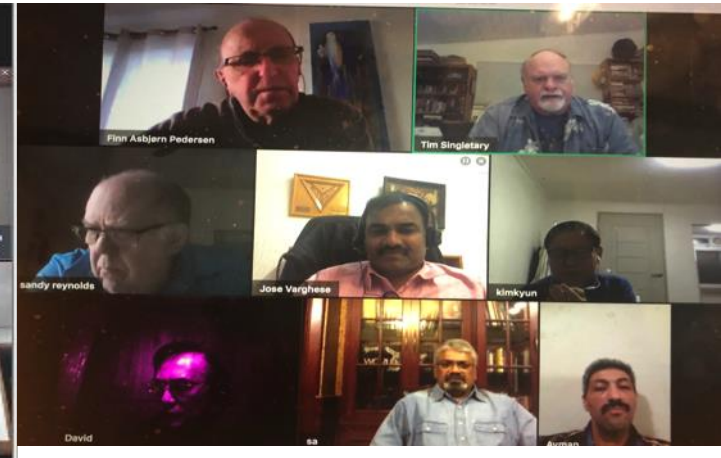
MYM 2019 AT CHIANG MAI



ORGANISATION STRENGTHENING



- Mentors and Coordinators for ISD's
- Manual Review and update
- GTM meetings – ISD – ASD's
- GTM Meeting – IEO/s / IEO's ICM once in two months



YMI PROMOTION: AFRICA



PROSPECTS FOR
10 NEW COUNTRIES
20 NEW CLUBS



PRINCIPLES OF
PARTNERSHIP WITH
AFRICA YMCA

NEW COOPERATION
MODEL

CHALLENGES

- Closing of clubs — 64 clubs were declared dead
- Decreasing programme contributions
- Ongoing GDPR issues hindering effective communication with European members
- Missing email addresses so not all members are able to receive individual communication
- Lack of resources for new country extension at International level
- Inability to attract younger generation
- Non existence of Challenge 22 Teams at International / Area / Regional level

Awards and Recognitions

Ballantyne Award: PIP Poul V Thomsen

Elmer Crowe Award: 46 District Governors

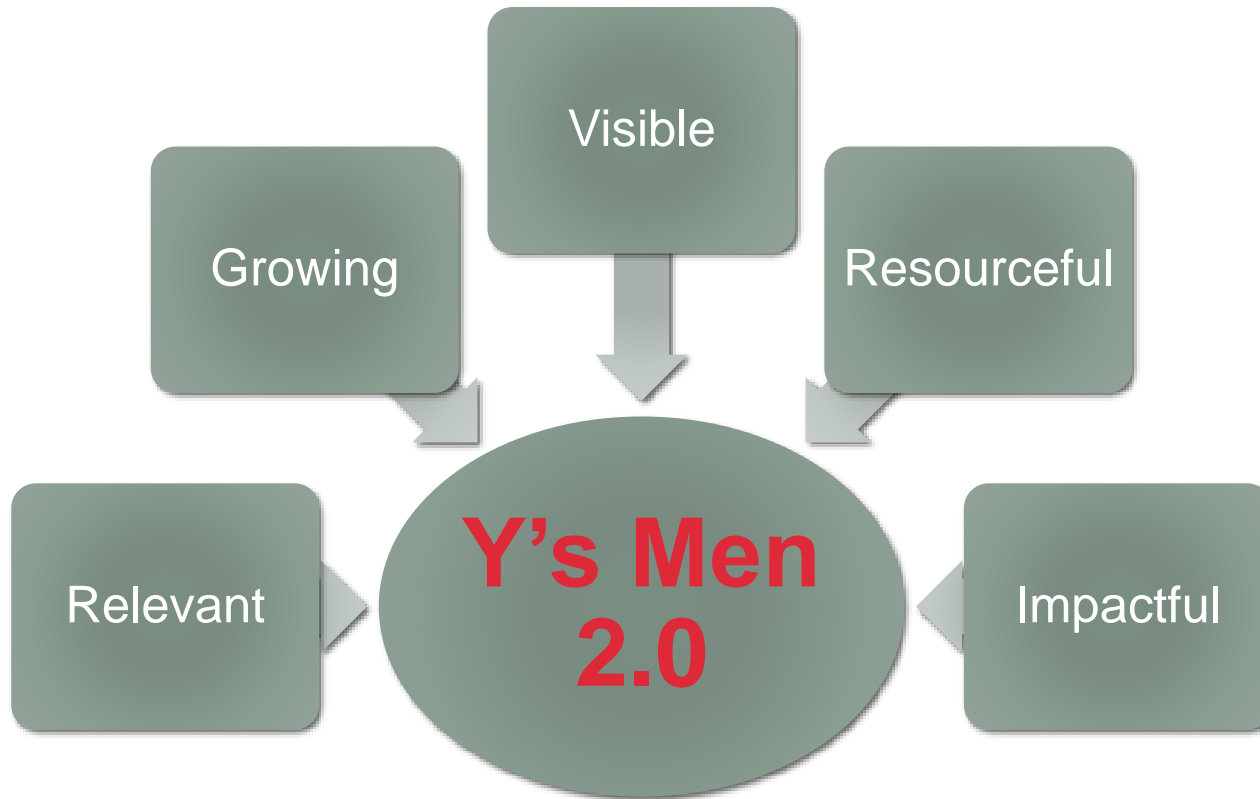
IP Medal for RDs: 2 Gold / 5 Silver / 19 Bronze



LOOKING INTO THE FUTURE



WHAT WE WANT TO BE TOMORROW ?



FOCUS AND INVEST IN CHALLENGE 22 PLAN



- Motivate all to be part of it
- Regular communication
- Create Challenge 22 Team at International / Areas / Region levels to promote the plan
- Target 15 New Countries this year
- 150 New Clubs and 3000 New Members by 2020
- Special Extension Plan for AFRICA, LAM, USA, CANADA, EUROPE
- Budget Allocation

INNOVATE THE CURRENT INTERNATIONAL PROGRAMMES



BF: Ways to find more people to take part in the BF Experience. New BF Programme with Extension focus.

ASF: More Promotion for increasing contributions. Shared information on Regional use. Minimum 30 % to IHQ for globally visible support to YMCA Training

RBM: New Partnership with World YMCA and UN Foundation with matching fund option. More visibly and impact for the programme.


TOF: Consider two levels of programmes CHF 15K and CHF 30K. More promotional events, Recognitions for Champions / Clubs for their contributions.

STEP/ YEEP: Redesign the programme to make it relevant and impactful. Participation of educational institutions / Business owned by Y's Men members and YMCAs be involved for scaling up YEEP programme.

**Build Today
For a Better Tomorrow**



since 1922

A close-up photograph of a smooth, light-colored, oval-shaped rock. The word "Gratitude" is engraved in a black, serif font across the center of the rock's surface. The rock is surrounded by other darker, more textured rocks, creating a natural, outdoor setting. The lighting is bright, casting soft shadows and highlighting the smooth texture of the central rock.

Gratitude



**IF YOU WANT TO GO FAST,
GO ALONE.
IF YOU WANT TO GO FAR,
GO TOGETHER.**

AFRICAN PROVERB





Баярлалаа, СИБО, danke, 謝 謝, ngiyabonga, teşekkür ederim, rahmat, 謝 謝, ありがとう, mersi, barka, welalin, tack, dank je, misaotra, matondo, paldies, grazzi, mahalo, thank you, gracias, tanadn leat, vinaka, blagodar am, akun, dankon, aciu, djiere, dieuf, tau, mochchakke, mam, dziekuje, go raibh maith ag, sukriya, kop khun krap, taiku, grazie, arigatō, takk, dakujem, gado, meso, sagolun, chnorakaloutioun, grazie ago, gracies, sulpay, taiku, diolch, dhanyavadagalu, shukriya, merci, mer, とうまに おんがひ, kam sah hamnida, rahmat, terima kasih, 감사합니다, xiexie, ευχαριστώ, merci